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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Town of Danbury, N. H.,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 15, 1903.

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SELECTMEN AND TREASURER

OF THE

TOWN OF DANBURY, N. H.,

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT OF THE

ROAD AGENTS, SCHOOL BOARD,

AND OTHER OFFICERS OF THE TOWN

AND SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Year Ending February 15, 1903.

FRANKLIN FALLS, N. H.:
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1903

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The selectmen charge themselves with assessments for
1902 as follows :

State tax,	\$539 75
County tax,	728 62
Highway tax,	1,200 00
School tax,	762 00
School repair tax,	100 00
Library tax,	37 47
Swellage tax,	166 63
Received of state—	
Railroad tax,	380 89
Savings bank tax,	903 26
Literary fund,	75 50
Proportion of school fund,	242 02
Received of county—	
Aid to dependent soldiers and their families,	13 25
Aid to county paupers,	72 89
For doctor's bill in small pox case and ex- pense collecting same, previously reported as unsettled claim,	122 62
Received for use of town hall,	35 00
“ from sales of lots in cemetery,	10 00
“ from sales of school books,	1 70
“ from rebate on school books,	4 32
“ from use of wheel scraper,	1 50
“ from land sold for taxes last year	17 23
“ from money hired,	1,300 00
	\$6,714 65

The selectmen credit themselves with orders to collector :

To pay—	
State tax,	\$539 75
County tax,	728 62
Highway tax,	1,200 00
School tax,	762 00
School repair tax,	100 00
Library tax,	37 47
Swellage tax,	166 63
To cash paid treasurer,	3,180 18
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	\$6,714 65

Invoice of the polls and ratable estate of the town of
Danbury April 1, 1902.

177 polls,	\$17,700 00
Real estate,	149,156 00
232 horses,	8,648 00
60 oxen,	2,904 00
512 cows,	11,384 00
271 neat stock,	5,124 00
404 sheep,	1,254 00
100 hens,	26 00
Stock in banks,	1,500 00
Surplus capital in banks,	168 00
Money at interest and on deposit,	5,666 00
Stock in trade,	11,076 00
Value of mills and machinery,	2,300 00
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Total valuation,	\$216,906 00
Rate per cent \$1.63	

JOHN V. FORD,	} Selectmen
WILLIS W. WALKER,	
FRED HUNTOON,	
	of
	Danbury.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury Mar. 15, 1902,	\$598 31
Received from selectmen,	3,180 18
Received from collector for 1899,	81 71
Received from collector for 1902,	3,534 47
Received from town clerk for licensing dogs,	112 80
Received from parsonage fund interest,	9 89
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	\$7,517 36

DISBURSEMENTS.

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid—	
Mrs. Wells W. Walker, support of Agnes D. Pangburn,	\$52 00
Ellen J. Shannon, board of Harriet Atwood,	16 00
A. H. Perkins, goods for Harriet Atwood,	32
G. H. Farrar, " " "	4 57
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	\$72 89

AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES.

Paid—	
Ellen J. Shannon, board of Alvin Evans,	\$10 00
John S. Allen, goods for Alvin Evans,	3 25
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	\$13 25

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid—

John Morrison, decorating soldiers' graves,	\$ 5 00
W. H. Traver, printing town reports,	29 00
F. W. Flanders, school books, supplies, etc,	135 49
N. F. Edson for two certificates issued to scholars,	50
E. C. Eastman for books, warrants, check-lists, etc.,	11 95
American Express Co., express,	25
Acme Road Machine Co., wheel scraper,	31 00
B. & M. R. R., freight on wheel scraper,	37
C. S. Parkhurst, painting hearse,	16 00
F. Huntoon, casting for road machine and express,	75
G. N. Ford, damage to plow,	2 50
J. W. Wentworth, repairs on road machine	60
F. K. Flanders, note and interest,	512 16
J. A. Littlefield, " "	510 47
J. W. Coolidge, returning birth certificate	25
J. V. Ford, expenses to Concord to settle with state treasurer,	2 50
J. V. Ford, expenses to Concord to settle with county commissioners,	2 50
C. A. Martin, recording births, deaths and marriages and securing names,	9 50
C. A. Martin, postage,	1 00
G. N. Dexter, public watering place,	3 00
O. I. Eastman, " "	3 00
A. Wilkins, " "	3 00
F. L. Jones, " "	3 00
A. J. Phelps, " "	3 00
C. Rowe, " "	3 00
D. J. Perkins, " " 1901-'02,	3 00
S. Clark, " "	1 50
G. R. Taylor, building wire fence,	1 50
F. Huntoon, mileage and witness fees in small pox case,	6 41

W. S. Wells, mileage and witness fees in small pox case,	\$10 66
E. B. Ford, mileage and witness fees in small pox case,	12 82
W. W. Walker, mileage and witness fees in small pox case,	11 62
J. V. Ford, mileage and witness fees in small pox case,	11 82
L. V. Knapp, mileage and witness fees in small pox case,	6 05
J. V. Ford, services in small pox case,	91
Martin & Howe, legal services in small pox case,	40 00
F. E. Litchfield, books, stationery, barbed wire, etc.,	4 97
Christian society, proportion of parsonage fund int.,	3 29
Congregational society, proportion of par- sonage fund int.,	3 30
Baptist society, proportion of parsonage fund int.,	3 30
A. W. Braley, wood, oil, etc., furnished town hall,	5 55
J. V. Ford, postage,	1 00
O. J. Wilkins, care of tramp,	35
S. B. Peaslee, damage to sheep by dogs,	3 00
G. W. Peaslee, " " "	20 00
A. E. Peters, " " "	4 00
Proctor academy, nine tuitions,	90 00
Ada J. Litchfield, part of library money,	30 00
State treasurer, state tax,	539 75
County treasurer, county tax,	728 62
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	\$2833 21

CURRENT EXPENSES.

Paid—

Auditors for 1902,	2 00
C. B. Jones, supervisor for 1901-'02,	18 00
A. H. Perkins, " " "	18 00
A. R. Ford, " " "	12 00
W. E. Currier, collector for 1899,	15 00
H. Webster, " " 1902,	77 00
J. S. Allen, tree warden,	5 55
G. A. Danforth, ballot clerk,	2 00
W. W. Webster, " "	2 00
C. A. Martin, school treasurer,	10 00
C. A. Martin, town clerk,	15 00
J. T. Morrison, dog constable,	4 00
J. S. Ogden, cemetery agent,	7 63
A. R. Ford, salary of school board,	50 00
F. W. Flanders, care of school books,	10 00
F. W. Flanders, services as truant officer,	10 00
D. J. Perkins, services as hearse agent,	14 00
E. Litchfield, board of health,	8 00
F. E. Litchfield, town treasurer,	25 00
Ada J. Litchfield, librarian,	20 00
A. W. Braley, janitor,	11 00
J. V. Ford, overseer of the poor,	5 00
J. V. Ford, services as selectman,	53 00
W. W. Walker, services as selectman,	46 00
F. Huntoon, services as selectman,	39 00

 \$479 18

CEMETERY EXPENSE.

GRADING.

Paid—

A. S. Hildreth,	\$ 4 50
A. P. Braley,	9 00
W. L. Braley,	4 50
F. O. Braley,	9 00
R. Lawrence,	1 80

O. A. Sargent,	\$ 1 80	
J. S. Ogden,	8 40	
H. A. Tilton,	1 80	
F. Huntoon,	22 20	
H. R. Collins,	3 60	
W. S. Shepard,	1 50	
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FENCE.

Union Fence Co.,	\$184 62	
B. & M. R. R., freight on fence,	12 54	
Joseph Ogden, labor,	8 85	
C. B. Knowlton, labor,	7 50	
W. W. Walker, labor,	6 50	
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		\$288 11

GRADING NEAR MURRAY BRIDGE.

Paid—

A. Braley,	\$ 22 77
W. S. Shepard,	25 17
H. A. Tilton,	31 17
F. K. Flanders,	63 25
Geo. Batchelder,	27 42
F. Huntoon,	116 78
L. M. Heath,	9 20
Jesse Allard,	36 00
F. E. Heath,	3 00
B. H. Heath,	4 50
J. H. Huntoon,	19 00
A. E. Peters,	16 50
J. A. Littlefield,	17 50
C. H. Fay,	5 00
L. A. Littlefield,	3 75
F. H. Flanders,	3 00
J. H. Heath,	7 80
H. Heath,	7 05

H. S. Jones,	\$3 50
W. Jones,	3 00
E. E. Cawley, stone wall,	14 00
C. N. Merrill, use of blocks,	3 00
H. Welch, use of scraper,	2 50

\$444 86

Paid—

School treasurer, school money,	\$762 00
“ “ dog money for 1900-'01,	220 03
“ “ school repair money,	100 00

\$1,082 03

ABATEMENTS.

Paid—

W. E. Currier, collector for 1899,	\$43 86
H. Webster, collector for 1902,	19 46

\$63 32

OVER ASSESSMENTS.

Paid—

H. Webster, collector for 1902,	\$9 78
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BREAKING ROADS IN SPRING OF 1902.

Paid—

District No. 1, A. E. Peters, agent,	\$24 42
“ 2, J. H. Huntoon, agent,	17 65
“ 3, F. L. Jones, agent,	26 49
“ 4, W. W. Walker, agent,	4 84
“ 5, B. W. Dean, agent,	25 67
“ 6, A. M. Braley, agent,	13 57
“ 7, A. A. Drake, agent,	14 31
“ 8, F. Huntoon, agent,	19 50

\$146 45

PAID AGENTS THIS YEAR.

District No. 1, A. E. Peters, agent,	\$378 32
“ 2, J. H. Huntoon, agent,	249 58
“ 3, A. Heman, agent,	204 55
“ 4, W. W. Walker, agent,	104 75
“ 5, G. W. Stuart, agent,	251 13
“ 6, F. O. Braley, agent,	103 00
“ 7, A. A. Drake, agent,	141 59
“ 8, F. Huntoon, agent,	112 05
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	\$1,544 97

BRIDGE PLANK.

Paid—	
J. F. Wiggim,	\$58 98
Dean Bros.,	6 44
A. R. Ford,	25 92
J. F. Farnum,	58 85
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	\$150 19

RECAPITULATION.

Whole amount received,	\$7,517 36
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid—	
County paupers,	\$ 72 89
Dependent soldiers and families,	13 25
Miscellaneous expenses,	2,833 21
Current expenses,	479 18
Highway expenses,	2,286 47
Cemetery expenses,	288 11
School money,	1,082 03
Abatements,	63 32
Over assessments,	9 78
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	7,128 24
Cash in treasury,	389 12
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	\$7,517 36

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Due town library,	\$82 41
Due School district, literary fund,	75 50
Due School district, proportion of school fund,	242 02
Due J. A. Littlefield, note,	300 00
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	\$699 93

OUTSTANDING CREDITS.

Due from land sold for taxes Feb. 15, 1902,	
A. J. Wells, supposed owner,	\$ 10 73
Cash in treasury,	389 12
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	\$399 85
Outstanding debts,	\$699 93
" credits,	399 85
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Net debt,	\$300 08

FRANK E. LITCHFIELD, Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

STILLMAN CLARK, }
WILLIS A. TUCKER, } Auditors.

HIGHWAY EXPENSES.

BREAKING ROADS SPRING, 1902.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

Paid—		
C. A. Wells,	\$6 00	
H. L. M. Clark,	50	
F. L. Clark,	2 00	
F. K. Flanders,	1 50	
G. R. Taylor,	2 00	
L. M. Heath,	5 12	
A. E. Peters,	7 30	
	—	\$24 42

DISTRICT NO. 2.

W. N. Buttrick,	\$1 00	
H. A. Gould,	75	
J. A. Littlefield,	7 55	
W. H. Huntoon,	3 00	
A. J. Phelps,	2 10	
J. K. Tucker,	1 25	
J. H. Huntoon,	2 00	
	—	17 65

DISTRICT NO. 3.

G. Littlefield,	\$7 00	
J. F. Wiggin,	1 25	
C. Rowe,	3 25	
J. Allard,	3 50	
J. E. Whittemore,	6 31	
T. A. Kenney,	2 00	
A. Heman,	2 18	
J. F. Wilson,	1 00	
	—	26 49

DISTRICT NO. 4.

H. D. Perkins,	\$1 00	
S. M. Frazier,	50	
G. W. Peaslee,	97	
J. V. Ford,	1 87	
C. F. Sewall,	50	
	<hr/>	\$ 4 84

DISTRICT NO. 5.

H. A. Stuart,	6 75	
C. H. Morrison,	6 75	
W. A. Robinson,	3 67	
S. N. Ford,	1 58	
B. W. Dean,	6 92	
	<hr/>	25 67

DISTRICT NO. 6.

F. O. Braley,	4 12	
G. N. Dexter,	3 00	
W. E. Currier,	1 20	
C. F. Sewall,	1 00	
A. M. Braley,	4 25	
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DISTRICT NO. 7.

J. C. Braley,	1 87	
S. N. Ford,	2 80	
A. A. Drake,	9 64	
	<hr/>	14 31

DISTRICT NO. 8.

D. J. Perkins,	3 50	
D. Perkins,	2 15	
W. F. Russell,	1 25	
F. Huntoon,	12 10	
A. R. Ford,	50	
	<hr/>	19 50
	<hr/>	\$146 45

HIGHWAY EXPENSE.

DISTRICT NO. 1, A. E. PETERS, AGENT.

Paid—

L. M. Heath, labor,	\$20 75	
B. H. Heath, labor,	12 90	
John Hazelton, labor,	19 12	
C. A. Wells, labor,	27 75	
C. A. Wells, stringers,	12 00	
Frank Wells, labor,	12 00	
E. M. Perkins, labor,	9 00	
C. F. Taylor,	18 00	
Noah Lund,	14 80	
A. E. Peters,	76 50	
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BRIDGES AND CULVERTS.

MURRAY BRIDGE.

Paid—

George Littlefield, stringers and timber,	\$32 45	
C. A. Wells,	8 25	
J. P. Hazelton,	9 75	
George Littlefield,	3 75	
Noah Lund,	8 00	
L. M. Heath,	1 50	
F. K. Flanders,	4 50	
S. E. Wells,	2 25	
F. H. Flanders,	2 00	
Charles Fay,	1 50	
A. E. Peters,	36 75	
	<hr/>	\$110 70

Breaking roads this winter.

Paid—

G. R. Taylor,	\$12 78
C. A. Wells,	6 50
F. L. Clark,	4 25

L. M. Heath,	\$8 27	
N. Lund,	4 25	
A. E. Peters,	8 75	
	<hr/>	\$ 44 80
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		\$378 32

DISTRICT NO. 2, J. H. HUNTOON, AGENT.

Paid—

C. H. Fay,	\$11 25	
H. A. Gould,	9 00	
George Decato,	9 75	
George Batchelder,	2 10	
A. P. Braley,	13 50	
Lewis Littlefield,	75	
J. P. Reed,	3 00	
H. S. Jones,	6 75	
Weston Jones,	7 50	
W. H. Huntoon,	18 00	
J. A. Littlefield,	7 50	
Scott Littlefield,	1 25	
Clarence Littlefield,	1 25	
N. C. Littlefield,	7 00	
J. W. Wentworth, sharpening drills,	1 25	
F. E. Litchfield, powder and fuse,	2 14	
J. H. Huntoon,	42 00	
A. Heman, cutting bushes,	9 45	
	<hr/>	\$153 44

Bridges and culverts.

C. H. Fay,	16 70	
J. A. Littlefield,	11 85	
J. H. Huntoon,	39 15	
H. Gould,	1 50	
H. S. Jones,	1 50	
W. E. Currier, for stringers,	7 00	
W. Benton, sawing stringers,	2 00	
F. E. Litchfield, for spikes,	69	
	<hr/>	\$80 39

Breaking roads this winter.

Paid—

J. A. Littlefield,	\$ 3 75	
W. H. Huntoon,	2 00	
J. H. Huntoon,	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 15 75
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		\$249 58

DISTRICT NO. 3, A. HEMAN, AGENT.

Paid---

A. Heman,	\$47 05	
Jesse Allard,	9 00	
J. F. Wilson,	6 00	
A. Fleury,	12 00	
E. Fleury,	3 00	
Joseph Allard,	3 00	
S. Morrison,	1 50	
F. Fleury,	5 75	
Arthur Heman,	28 20	
W. Reed,	9 00	
J. Fleury,	13 50	
J. Neddo,	19 50	
J. Wilson,	1 05	
T. Whittemore, for grade,	2 00	
J. A. Littlefield,	13 00	
	<hr/>	173 55

Breaking roads this winter.

J. Neddo,	\$ 75	
J. F. Wilson,	9 00	
Jesse Allard,	4 75	
A. Heman,	16 50	
		31 00
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		\$204 55

DISTRICT NO. 4, WILLIS W. WALKER, AGENT.

Paid---

Geo. W. Peaslee,	\$3 00	
J. V. Ford,	1 00	
A. Wilkins,	3 00	
W. W. Walker,	31 50	
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Bridges and culverts.

C. F. Sewall,	2 00	
Geo. W. Peaslee,	6 00	
A. Wilkins,	30 15	
W. W. Walker,	13 50	
A. Wilkins, for stringers,	3 00	
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Breaking roads this winter.

A. Wilkins,	5 00	
S. M. Frazier,	3 10	
C. F. Sewall,	2 00	
W. W. Walker,	1 50	
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		\$104 75

DISTRICT NO. 5, G. W. STUART, AGENT.

Paid—

G. N. Ford,	\$30 31	
Herman A. Stuart,	40 20	
Herbert A. Stuart,	41 10	
G. W. Stuart,	81 60	
E. W. Currier, for grade,	1 00	
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Breaking roads this winter.

E. E. Cawley,	2 47	
G. N. Ford,	6 55	
Herman A. Stuart,	10 41	
G. W. Stuart,	37 49	
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		\$251 13

DISTRICT NO. 6, F. O. BRALEY, AGENT.

Paid—

J. S. Ogden,	\$ 3 75	
A. S. Hildreth,	4 80	
A. P. Braley,	11 10	
W. L. Braley,	14 40	
M. V. Braley,	5 85	
F. O. Braley,	41 75	
C. B. Knowlton,	30	
F. H. Flanders, for bridge timber,	1 40	
M. V. Braley, for bridge stringers,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 85 35

Breaking roads this winter.

Paid—

A. M. Braley,	\$ 7 95	
G. N. Dexter,	2 50	
C. F. Sewall,	50	
W. H. Huntoon,	4 60	
F. O. Braley,	2 10	
	<hr/>	17 65
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		\$103 00

DISTRICT NO. 7, A. A. DRAKE, AGENT.

Paid—

G. Sweatt,	\$26 70	
F. Huntoon,	6 00	
G. S. Tenney,	13 50	
E. B. Ford,	7 50	
G. N. Ford,	7 50	
J. C. Braley,	1 50	
J. R. Maxfield,	5 00	
A. A. Drake,	29 10	
	<hr/>	\$ 96 80

Bridges and culverts.

Paid—

C. S. Waldron,	\$ 4 60
J. R. Maxfield,	1 50

A. A. Drake,	\$6 60	
A. A. Drake, for plauk,	1 09	
	<hr/>	\$13 79

Breaking roads for this winter.

Paid—		
G. N. Ford,	\$11 35	
E. B. Ford,	5 95	
W. A. Tucker,	1 25	
J. R. Maxfield,	1 00	
A. A. Drake,	11 45	
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		\$141 59

DISTRICT NO. 8, FRED HUNTOON, AGENT.

Paid		
W. F. Russell,	\$ 9 00	
A. R. Ford,	6 50	
W. S. Shepard,	6 00	
R. Lawrence,	11 80	
A. Braley,	5 70	
P. A. Benton,	4 20	
Geo. Batchelder,	4 50	
A. A. Drake,	6 00	
J. S. Ogden,	8 48	
D. Perkins,	1 00	
Fred Huntoon,	24 30	
	<hr/>	\$87 48

Breaking roads this winter.

Paid		
D. Perkins,	\$ 90	
W. F. Russell,	3 90	
O. A. Sargent,	3 60	
A. R. Ford,	1 35	
J. S. Ogden,	3 90	
J. C. Braley,	7 57	
F. Huntoon,	3 35	
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		\$112 05

TREASURER'S REPORT.

GEORGE GAMBLE LIBRARY.

Cash in treasury Feb. 28, 1902,	\$17 22	
Received fines for 1902,	65	
Received from town treasury,	30 00	
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Paid		
Book, "American New Possessions,"	\$ 2 50	
W. H. Traver, printing supplementary catalogue,	3 00	
A. W. Jewett, paper, lumber and labor,	11 50	
Book, "Martinique and St. Vincent Horrors,"	1 25	
Set of books, "Modern Eloquence,"	28 50	
Record book,	05	
Postage,	10	
	<hr/>	46 90
Cash in treasury,		97
Due from town library tax,		82 41
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Amount in favor of library,		\$83 38

ADA J. LITCHFIELD, Treasurer.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Again it becomes our duty to give to the public our annual report of the schools in our care. Our schools as a whole have been quite successful the past year. Parents should see that their children are in school every day and in season. Without perfect attendance we find children make but little progress. As the law is now it makes a great difference what our average attendance is. The Equalization law of 1899 says "All towns whose equalized valuation per scholar was less than \$3000 should receive aid from the state." The law also gives the Governor and Council the right to add certain towns upon recommendation of the superintendent of public instruction. In 1901 he recommended that those towns whose equalized valuation per scholar was less than \$3400 be added to the list and they were.

In 1899 our average attendance was	96
" 1900 " " " "	101
" 1901 " " " "	109
" 1902 " " " "	126

In 1899 the equalized valuation per scholar was	\$3795
" 1900 " " " " " "	3608
" 1901 " " " " " "	3343
" 1902 " " " " " "	2892

As public education is demanded by the state it seems proper that the entire compulsory school tax should be raised by the state and divided so as to help the poorer towns.

ARTHUR R. FORD, } School
EDWARD A. FARNUM, } Board.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

CENTRE SCHOOL

Spring term—Mildred F. Collins, Bernice E. Perkins, Winnie A. Perkins, Lola Perkins, Gretchen Sargent, Ora Tucker, Maude B. Wescott, Chester A. Perkins, Fred C. Currier, Frank H. Currier, Raymond C. Danforth.

Fall term—Mildred Collins, Eva Knowlton, Gladys Knowlton, Bernice Perkins, Winnie Perkins, Lola Perkins, Ruth Parker, Gretchen Sargent, Fred Currier, Frank Currier, Raymond Danforth, Chester Perkins.

SOUTH DANBURY.

Spring term—Marie Nelson, Clarence Ordway, Eva Ordway, Ardena Ordway, Agnes Pangburn, Ralph Perkins, Dwight Perkins, Carl Jenness, Lulu Jenness, Ruby Jenness, Nellie Sewell, Ethel Webster, Alfred Wright, Leroy Webster, Gladys Webster.

SOUTH DANBURY.

Fall term—Richard Currier, Lula Jenness, Leland Currier, Ruby Jenness, Ardena Ordway, Clarence Ordway, Dwight L. Perkins, Ethel P. Webster, Alfred Wright.

TANNERY SCHOOL.

Spring term—Mildred F. Collins, Roy C. Littlefield.

Fall term—W. Arthur Batchelder, Willie P. Downes, Linnie A. Wilson, Roy C. Littlefield.

NEW CANADA.

Spring term—Henry Fleury, Minnie E. Heman, Bertha M. Heman, Charlie A. Heman, Florence Wiggin, Gifford N. Wiggin, Howard Wilson.

Fall term—Bertha M. Heman, Anna M. Mycue, Florence E. Wiggin, Charlie A. Heman.

WESTERN SCHOOL.

Spring term—Charles R. Ford, Merton W. Ford, Clifton C. Morrison, Florence E. Morrison.

Fall term—Ellen W. Ford, Merton W. Ford, Charles R. Ford, Florence E. Morrison, Lillian E. Morrison, Charles C. Morrison.

UPPER TURNPIKE.

Spring term—Howard A. Drake, Lyle R. Heath, Neville F. Putney, Heman D. Putney, Andrew E. Putney, Clifton H. Maxfield, Vera E. Maxfield, Grace A. Farnum.

Fall term—Ralph E. Farnum, Lyle R. Heath, Howard A. Drake, Clifton H. Maxfield, Grace A. Farnum, Vera A. Maxfield.

EASTERN.

Spring term—Vernon Tilton, Minnie Wells.

Fall term—Vernon Tilton.

NORTH ROAD.

Spring term—Hazel M. Ford, Estella Huntoon, Grace Russell.

Fall term—Hazel M. Ford, Mildred White, Estella Huntoon, Grace Russell, Robert Ford, Ralph Lawrence, Lawrence Huntoon.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury as reported Feb. 15, 1902,	\$166 70
Received of town treasurer, school money,	\$762 00
Received of town treasurer dog tax for 1900 and 1901,	220 03
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	982 03
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	\$1,148 73

EXPENDITURES.

CENTER SCHOOL.

Paid—

John W. Stewart, cleaning school room,	\$ 1 00
Lilla M. Walker, teaching 10 weeks,	70 00
Mary G. Riley, teaching 12 weeks,	84 00
Lee V. Knapp, 1-2 cord wood,	2 00
Carl Johnson, sawing 1 cord wood,	1 25
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	\$158 25

WESTERN.

Mrs. C. H. Morrison, cleaning school room,	\$ 1 00
Bertha M. Tilton, teaching 11 weeks including board,	60 50
Bertha M. Tilton, teaching 12 weeks including board,	66 00
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	127 50

UPPER TURNPIKE.

Sadie Hackett, teaching 11 weeks including board,	55 00	
Ada Farnum, teaching 12 weeks including board,	66 00	
Edwin B. Ford, wood,	4 00	
Ralph E. Farnum, sawing 9 feet wood,	1 25	
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NORTH ROAD.

Edith Sprague, teaching 11 weeks including board,	60 50	
Edith Sprague, teaching 13 weeks including board,	71 50	
Robert Lawrence, drawing and fitting edgings and putting fastening on door,	1 00	
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EASTERN.

Bertha L. Chase, teaching 11 weeks, including board,	60 50	
Bertha L. Chase, teaching 12 weeks, including board,	48 00	
Frank W. Flanders, cash paid Stillman Clark for board- ing teacher,	2 75	
Stillman Clark, boarding teacher 12 weeks,	21 00	
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TANNERY SCHOOL.

Mrs. A. J. Phelps, cleaning school room,	1 00	
Nellie F. Edson, teaching 11 weeks including board,	60 50	
Nellie F. Edson, teaching 12 weeks including board,	66 00	
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NEW CANADA.

Idella Farnum, teaching 11 weeks including board,	63 80	
Ada L. Clark, teaching 12 weeks	48 00	
J. F. Wiggins, boarding teacher 12 weeks,	24 00	
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SOUTH DANBURY.

Grace L. Wells, cleaning school room,	1 00	
Fred Wells, 1 cord wood fitted in shed,	4 50	
Grace L. Wells, teaching 11 weeks,	60 50	
Ethel Ordway, teaching 11 weeks,	60 50	
Wilbur W. Webster, work,	50	
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MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid—		
John F. Farnum, 1 cord wood furnished Tannery school, and Center school 1 cord wood, and slabs for New Canada school,	9 25	
Frank W. Flanders, pail for Dist. No. 5, 30c; drawing shin- gles to No. 2 Dist., 50c; express order, 20c; pad- lock No. 1 Dist., 50c; sawing and getting in wood No. 1 Dist., 70c; paid John V. Ford 50c for shingle No. 2 Dist.,	2 70	
Town of Grafton, tuition of Florence Tenney,	3 50	
Frank E. Litchfield, glass and putty for Eastern school, 1 broom for North Road school spring 1901,	64	

E. A. Farnum, water pail South Danbury school, 30c, broom for Upper Turn- pike, 35c,	\$ 65	
		<u>\$16 74</u>
Amount expended for schools,		\$1,084 29
Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1903,		64 44
		<u>\$1,148 73</u>
Amount received for schools,		\$1,148 73

RECEIVED FOR REPAIRS.

Received repair money,	\$100 00
" of John V. Ford for sale of old windows,	51
Received of A. R. Ford for sale of old stove,	25
	<u>\$100 76</u>
Total received for repairs,	

EXPENDITURES.

Paid—	
Frank W. Flanders, work and material for repairs on Eastern school house,	\$ 16 91
N. E. Lund, labor Eastern school house,	11 20
A. A. Edson, work North road, \$7 00; South Danbury, \$6 50; Tannery school house, \$2 50,	16 00
A. A. Edson, boards and plank for win- dow stools for Eastern school house,	2 30
John F. Farnum, work on New Canada house,	7 80
C. H. Morrison, shingles, nails and labor Eastern school house,	4 10
I. C. Perkins, work North Road house,	4 50
Edward A. Farnum, work and material North Road school house,	5 75

Arthur Kimball, 4 M shingle for North Road school house,	\$ 8 00
Amount expended for repairs,	<u>\$76 56</u>
Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1903,	<u>24 20</u>
	\$100 76
Amount received for repairs,	\$100 76

C. A. MARTIN, Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

STILLMAN CLARK, }
WILLIS A. TUCKER, } Auditors.

STATISTICAL TABLE. SCHOOL DISTRICT, DANBURY, N. H., 1902.

Schools	Name of Teachers	No. Weeks Spring and Fall terms	Wages per month including board	No. Pupils each Term	Average Attendance during term	No. Pupils in Reading	Spelling	Pennmanship	Arithmetic	Geography	Grammar	History	Physiology	Book-keeping	Algebra	Composition	Philosophy	Vocal music	Education	Physical Culture	Civil Government	No. of Visits by School Board	No. of Visits by Citizens and others	Drawing
Center	Lilla M. Walker	10	\$28	31	82	82	28	28	28	20	20	20	5	20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	12	41
Second Term	Mary G. Riley	12	28	30	32	33	33	33	33	31	31	31	8	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	12	41
South Danbury	Grace L. Wells	11	20	19	18	19	19	17	17	6	6	8	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	39	16
Second Term	Ethel Ordway	11	22	18	14	18	18	14	18	7	10	4	4	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	33	16
Taunery	Nellie F. Edson	11	22	21	18	21	21	21	21	16	7	4	4	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	25	21
Second Term	"	12	22	21	16	19	19	17	17	12	4	4	4	21	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	22	18
New Canada	Idella K. Farnum	*	21	18	21	21	21	21	9	10	10	4	4	21	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	22	22
Second Term	Ada L. Clark	12	23	25	19	25	25	25	30	10	10	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	10	24	4
Western	Bertha M. Tilton	11	22	7	7	7	7	7	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	10	10	4
Second Term	"	11	20	9	9	9	9	9	8	8	4	1	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	13	5
Upper Timplke	Sadie L. Hackett	11	22	10	9	10	10	9	8	7	7	2	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	13	5
Second Term	Ada M. Farnum	12	22	11	9	11	11	11	10	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	11	8	11
Eastern Term	Bertha L. Chase	11	23	11	9	11	11	14	14	10	10	2	2	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	30	11
Second Term	"	12	23	14	9	14	14	17	17	16	9	16	9	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	30	11	11
North Road	Edith M. Sprague	11	22	17	14	17	17	17	16	9	16	9	16	9	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	3	30	11
Second Term	"	13	22	17	12	16	16	16	16	8	8	6	16	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	30	11

* 11 3-5 weeks.

VITAL STATISTICS.

TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF DANBURY: In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths, to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child, (if any).	Sex.	Condition.	Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Residence of parents.	Color.	Occupation of Father.
Jan. 8	Lizzie Ann	F	Living	Edwin B. Ford	Georgia A. Fowler	Danbury	All White	Farmer
Jan. 17		F	"	W. E. Hill	Jennie Sawyer	"		"
Jan. 24	Beatrice Josephine	F	"	Joseph S. Ogden	Sarah B. Kilham	"		Sawyer
Feb. 18	Eva May	F	"	Frank H. Flanders	Edith May Keaton	"		Laborer
Feb. 27	Lyle Kenneth	M	"	Henry A. Tilton	Mabel L. Rowen	"		Farmer
Mar. 22	Willard Vincent	M	"	John V. Ford	Martha J. Walker	"		"
Apr. 5	Lawrence W.	M	"	Bert W. Dean	Edna P. Rand	"		"
May 18		F	"	Ora H. Powell	Carrie D. Waseatt	Canaan		Carpenter
May 21	Albert	M	"	John Fleury	Jane Bolduc	Danbury		Farmer
May 31		F	Stillborn	Kensman H. Reed	Lena Fisk	Franklin		"
July 18	Mary Louise	F	Living	Joseph Nadon	Louise S. Fleury	Danbury		Laborer
July 22	Charles Henry	M	"	Augustus G. Nowlin	Mary E. Kimball	Boston		"
Aug. 17	Arthur Lewis	M	"	Arthur E. Sweet	G'rit' de B. Sanborn	Danbury		"
Oct. 2	Violet Margaret	F	"	Napoleon J. Carter	Edna W. Sturtevant	Bellevue Falls		"
Oct. 11		F	Stillborn	Orville A. Sargent	Alice M. Perkins	Danbury		Farmer
Dec. 31		M	"	Andrew J. Phelps	Lillis M. Braley	"		"

MARRIAGES.

Date	Name of each	Residence	Age	Color	Occupation	Place of Birth	Name of parents	What Marriage	By whom married
Mar. 5	Wesley S. Wells	Danbury	26	All White	Clerk in Store	Danbury	John Wells	First	J. B. Aldrich
Mar. 5	Kate F. Keniston	Wilnot	23		School teacher	Wilnot	Benj. C. Keniston	"	Minister of Gospel
Mar. 5	Ernest R. Bailey	Danbury	21		Farmer	Alexandria	Alfred Bailey	"	Edw'd P. Eastman
Mar. 15	Sadie A. Kimball	"	18		Housework	Boston.	Chas. H. Kimball	"	Clergyman
Mar. 15	Clarence E. Fisk	"	24		Laborer	Grafton	Eben Fisk	"	Edw'd P. Eastman
Aug. 9	Helen M. Smith	Grafton	24		Housework	Danbury	John Smith	Second	Clergyman
Aug. 9	Albert A. Downes	Danbury	32		Farmer	Danbury	James W. Downes	"	John H. Emerson
Dec. 25	Bertha Seales	Wilnot	20		Housework	Danbury	Benj. Evans	"	Justice of Peace
Dec. 25	Will N. Buttrick	Danbury	35		Farmer	Danbury	John A. Buttrick	"	Elmer E. Reynolds
	Sarah J. Hill	Whitefield	31		Housework	Whitefield	Wilson J. Hill	First	M. E. Elder

DEATHS.

Date	Name of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Condition	Occupation	Cause of Death	Name of Father
		Years	Months	Days							
Feb. 10	Lucy C. Cole	83	8	29	Danbury	F	All White	Widowed	Housekeeper	Neuralgia of heart	George Litchfield
Mar. 6	Darius Messer	77	10	10	New London	M	White	Married	Farmer	Gastric ulcer	Hezekiah Messer
May 31	— Reed	—	—	—	Danbury	F	White	Single	Farmer	Stillborn	Kinsman H. Reed
Aug. 13	Walter J. Seavey	36	2	26	Andover	M	White	Divorced	Mechanic	Wood Alcohol	Andrew J. Seavey
Sept. 7	John Frazier	65	7	21	Salisbury	M	White	Married	Farmer	Pulmonary Phthisis	John C. Frazier
Sept. 24	Jemima Sewell	87	9	10	Wilnot	F	White	Widowed	Housework	General debility	John Waldron
Oct. 11	— Sargent	—	—	—	Danbury	F	White	Single	—	Stillborn	Orville A. Sargent
Dec. 22	Hiram A. Dicey	42	6	16	Alexandria	M	White	Married	Laborer	Drowning	Stephen G. Dicey
Dec. 31	— Phelps	—	—	—	Danbury	M	White	Single	—	Unknown	Andrew J. Phelps

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. A. MARTIN, Town Clerk.



